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AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

April 22, 2005

Sir:

This Amendment is in response to the Office Action dated January 26, 2005, for which the Examiner has set a three-month period for response, thus making the response due on or before April 26, 2005.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 14 of this paper.